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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: COUNTERVAILING DUTY ORDERS ON CERTAIN PASTA FROM ITALY (C-475-819)
BIOAGRICERT RECOGNIZED AS A PUBLIC AUTHORITY FOR CERTIFYING ORGANIC PASTA
FROM ITALY

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TO: DIRECTORS OF FIELD OPERATIONS

PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, SPECIAL ENFORCEMENT

RE: COUNTERVAILING DUTY ORDERS ON CERTAIN PASTA FROM ITALY
(C-475-819) BIOAGRICERT RECOGNIZED AS A PUBLIC
AUTHORITY FOR CERTIFYING ORGANIC PASTA FROM ITALY

1. EFFECTIVE 08/04/2004, THE DEPARTMENT RECOGNIZES BIOAGRICERT
S.R.L. (BIOAGRICERT) AS A PUBLIC AUTHORITY FOR CERTIFYING ORGANIC
PASTA FROM ITALY.

2. THE SCOPE OF THESE ORDERS CONSISTS OF SHIPMENTS OF CERTAIN
NON-EGG DRY PASTA IN PACKAGES OF FIVE POUNDS (2.27 KILOGRAMS) OR
LESS, WHETHER OR NOT ENRICHED OR FORTIFIED OR CONTAINING MILK OR
OTHER OPTIONAL INGREDIENTS SUCH AS CHOPPED VEGETABLES, VEGETABLE

PUREES, MILK, GLUTEN, DIASTASIS, VITAMINS, COLORING AND FLAVORINGS, AND UP TO TWO PERCENT EGG WHITE. THE PASTA COVERED BY THIS SCOPE IS TYPICALLY SOLD IN THE RETAIL MARKET, IN FIBERBOARD OR CARDBOARD CARTONS, OR POLYETHYLENE OR POLYPROPYLENE BAGS OF VARYING DIMENSIONS.

EXCLUDED FROM THE SCOPE OF THIS REVIEW ARE REFRIGERATED, FROZEN, OR CANNED PASTAS, AS WELL AS ALL FORMS OF EGG PASTA, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF NON-EGG DRY PASTA CONTAINING UP TO TWO PERCENT EGG WHITE.

ALSO EXCLUDED ARE IMPORTS OF ORGANIC PASTA FROM ITALY THAT ARE ACCOMPANIED BY THE APPROPRIATE CERTIFICATE ISSUED BY THE ISTITUTO MEDITERRANEO DI CERTIFICAZIONE, BY BIOAGRICOO SCRL, BY QC AND I INTERNATIONAL SERVICES, BY ECOCERT ITALIA, BY CONSORZIO PER IL CONTROLLO DEI PRODOTTI BIOLOGICI, BY ASSOCIAZIONE ITALIANA PER L' AGRICOLTURA BIOLOGICA, OR BY CODEX S.R.L. IN ADDITION, BASED ON PUBLICALLY AVAILABLE INFORMATION, THE DEPARTMENT HAS DETERMINED THAT, AS OF 08/4/2004, IMPORTS OF ORGANIC PASTA FROM ITALY THAT ARE ACCOMPANIED BY THE APPROPRIATE CERTIFICATE ISSUED BY BIOAGRICERT ARE ALSO EXCLUDED FROM THESE ORDERS.

THE MERCHANDISE SUBJECT TO REVIEW IS CURRENTLY CLASSIFIABLE UNDER ITEM 1902.19.20 OF THE HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES ("HTSUS"). ALTHOUGH THE HTSUS SUBHEADING IS PROVIDED FOR CONVENIENCE AND CUSTOMS PURPOSES, THE WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF THE MERCHANDISE SUBJECT TO THE ORDER IS DISPOSITIVE.

3. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CBP OFFICERS, THE IMPORTING PUBLIC OR INTERESTED PARTIES, PLEASE CONTACT DAVINA HASHMI OR RON TRENTAM AT OFFICE OF AD/CVD ENFORCEMENT, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, AT (202) 482-0984 OR (202) 482-3577, RESPECTIVELY. (GENERATED BY O3:GL).

4. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

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